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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Please maintain broadband competition for the smaller service providers. This will lower the prices and increase the quality of internet services. I recently switched from AT&T DSL to fiber-to-the-home internet services, provided by a smaller service provider (Sonic). The overall quality is much higher and the prices are lower with the fiber connection. It gives me a very good connection to my work environment and allows me to accomplish more.

With regards,

Michael Lieberman